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920 In Cent. 10 1014 10 1014 1014	Texas 2ds, 1%, to 67%; Kings County Elevated	damage to the crop in Argentine, smaller North- western receipts, an estimated decrease in the visi-
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300 Mich C.116 118 116 117 11814	Chesapeake and Ohio general 4 ks k to 90%:	whereas the acceptances this morning were any- where from 35 to 50 loads. It is expected that next
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900 M & St L	5s, \$85 p. 24, to 82; Northern Pacific general	down the total visible supply about 2,000,000 for the week, whereas for the corresponding week last year those was an actual increase of 735,000. Fur-
2d p 63 63% 63 63% 64	3 F cent., to 34%.	thermore, it is reported that the Argentine crop has
54760 No Pac. 44% 46 44 44% 44%	Commercial price of bar silver in New York.	heen reduced about 20 % cent. Certainly acrious damage was reported, and the same despatch that
8800 M.K&T 12% 13% 12% 13 13% 8846 M.K&Tp 37% 38 87% 37% 38	59%c. Bar silver in London closed at 27%d. Mexican silver dollars were quoted at 47c.	brought this news contained an order to buy 100,000 bush. "Actions speak louder than words." Minne-
1100 NLOII. 9 9 8% 8% 9	Money on call, 24@3 F cent. Time money	apolis in two days has sold 240,000 bbls of flour, breaking the record for the season. The clearances
550 NJ Cent 94% 95 94% 94% 95%	is quoted at 3 * cent. for four months and 3%	of wheat and hour from the four north were 1 (149 - 1
16128 NY Com 122 124% 121% 124 124%	♥ cent for nine months on good mixed Stock Exchange "collateral. Commercial paper is quoted at 35@4 ♥ cent, for bills receivable:	000. The Potal for the week is expected to approxi-
2850 NatLd., 3716 3716 37 3736 3714 1500 Nor Am., 636 636 636 636 7	acceptances and prime single names, 35-04 3	mate 8,500,000, which, roughly speaking, would make about 21,000,000 during the past three weeks.
140 N Y Air	acceptances and prime single names, 3½@4 \$ cent.; other names, 4@4% \$ cent.	or an average of 7,000,000 per week from this country slone, showing that we are practically feeding
Brake. 9816 9816 9816 9816 100	Sterling exchange was firm, with a hard- ening tendency. There was rather more de-	try alone, showing that we are practically feeding Europe ourselves alone and single handed. Liverpool closed 3sd, to 3sd, higher and Paris 15 centimes lower to 5 centimes higher. Not a little stress was laid by buils on the stronger closing cables, though the estimated diminution in the
441 NY&NH200 200 200 200 201 700 NY, C&	mand from remitters, partly to provide for Jan-	times lower to 5 centimes higher. Not a little
8t L 14% 14% 14% 14% 14%	uary interest due abroad. Continental exchange was firm. Posted rates of exchange were:	ing cables, though the estimated diminution in the
800 NY, C &	was firm. Posted rates of exchange were: Sixty days, \$4.82%, and sight, \$4.85%. Actual rates are: Long bills, \$4.81%; sight drafts, \$4.84%, and cable transfers, \$4.85 colong and 5.22%, 52.24% for long and 5.22%, 52.24% for long and 5.22%, 52.25% for short; relehsmarks, 54.1000, 30.500,	
8t Lap 38% 38% 38 37% 38	sight drafts, \$4.84%, and cable transfers, \$4.85	factor. Then, again, Northwestern markets were strong on heavy buying by millers against sales of flour. The Northwestern Miller says that the mills are grinding heavily to get out all the flour possible
100 N Bin p. 104 104 104 103 103 104 1	long and 5.224@5.21% for short; reichsmarks	are grinding heavily to get out all the flour possible
1100 N & W. 1716 1716 1616 1616 17	94 1-16@94 3-16 for long and 94%@94% for	before an advance in rail rates, which may occur soon after Jan J. The flour sales at the Northwest for the week are estimated at 295,000 bils. The
4800 N & W p 59% 60 59 59% 60	40@40 I-16 for short.	Northwestern receipts fell 211 cars below those of
12040 NerPac. 4214 4214 4114 4114 4114 2950 NerPp. 7614 77 7614 7614 77	Domestic exchining on New Tork; Boston-	the same day last week, and those at Chicago, 185 cars, were smaller than a year ago. Moreover, a Cali-
4822 Ont & W 1716 18 1796 7696 7796 1796	124@16% cents discount. Charleston—Buying, 1-16 discount; selling, par. Savannah—Buying.	I formin desparch says that the weather in that State !
2100 R&N 51 51 51 51 53	1-18 discount : salling The cents promition New	has cleared up: If needs much more rain. An inter- cating feature of the day was the talk of out-
100m BL. 36% 36% 36% 36% 37%	count. San Francisco-Sight, 15 cents pre-	sides buying. It stands to reason that the Stock Ex- change cannot have a boom without other Ex-
780 PacC 1p 83 83 824 82 834	Orieans—Bank, par; commercial, \$1 discount. San Francisco—Sight, 15 cents premium; telegraph, 17s cents premium. St. Louis—Par. Chicago—15 cents premium. Cindiscounts—Chicago—15 cents premium.	change participating in it sooner or later to a greater or less extent. "History repeats itself." The Stock Exchange cannot go on selling 800,000 to 800,000 shares of stocks and anywhere from \$6,000, 500 to \$8,000,000 of bonds daily without the speci-
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50 Peo & E 4 ls 4 ls 4 ls	156@160; Mutual Gas at 300@310; Amsterdam	fact, the whole country entering upon an epoch of unexampled prosperity. The price is relatively cheap, the world is drawing on the last crop for sup-
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8tL 48% 50% 48% 50%	Continental Tobacco at 37 1/63735 and the rec	weekly. Under the circumstances wheat is finding an increasing number of friends here and at the
700 P, C, C &	South at 40.241, and the bonds at 15.5(2) and Ferry at 40.241, and the bonds at 15.5(2) and the preferred at 81%.252; Knickerbocker Ice at 51%.252, and the preferred at 70.250; and the preferred at 70.250; and the preferred at 70.250; and American Air Research 10.252.	an increasing number of friends here and at the West. "There is nothing so successful as success." Broomhall has of late sent reports to the effect that
St Lp. 7d 774 76 774 79	Bilver common at 33%@33%, and American Air	the Argentine crop has been seriously damaged. How much competition in European markets may
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25CO BILSW 714 716 714 714 714	The Texas Pacific Coal Company has do	53,838,000, the highest figures ever known. Man.
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200 St P & D 304 304 304 30 304	The comparative statement of imports and	the Argentine crop has been seriously damaged. How much competition in European markets may we expect from Argentine heat spring? We shall have Europe if not stour mercy, at any rate largely dependent upon us for the heat three mouths. And after that? Argentine supplies are not likely to begin reaching Europe till about April 18. Broomhall estimates the Argentine surplus for export at 15,000,000; others 85,000,000 for 66,000,000. The highest figures would break the record, and what reason is there for expecting such a thing? The exports from that country in 1896 were 17,786,000; in 1895, 38,666,000; in 1896, 53,838,000, the highest figures ever known. Meantime stocks in this country, the principal source of the world's supply for the entire winter, are the smallest in fifteen years. The month stered with

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Available cash balance, including old reserve.\$290,736,435 \$291,805,210

Money in London 31:604 \$\pi\$ cent. Rate of discount in open market for abort and three months bills, 31; \$\pi\$ cent. The Bank of England minimum rate of discount unchanged at 4 \$\pi\$ cent. The proportion of its reserve to liabilities is 50.40 \$\pi\$ cent. against 50.60 last week and 45.91 the same week last year. The weekly statement of the bank shows the following changes from the previous account: Total reserve decreased £21.000, circulation decreased £241.000, builton decreased £351.000, "other" deposits increased £351.000, "other" deposits increased £351.000, plice deposits decreased £170,000, notes reserve increased £14,000, Paris advices quote 3 \$\pi\$ cents at 101 francs \$22\$ centimes. Exchange on London 25 francs \$21\$ centimes. The weekly statement of the Bank of France shows the following changes Notes in circulation increased 4.225,000 francs, gold on hand decreased 2.425,000 francs, bills discounted decreased 2.325,000 francs, silver on hand decreased 2.325,000 francs, silver on hand decreased 2.325,000 francs, silver on hand decreased 2.325,000 francs, of the Directors of the Dir

francs. silver on hand decreased 2,325,000 francs.

J. P. Morgan & Co., in view of the probable reorganization of the Pittsburg and Western Raliway Company, inform holders of the first mortgage 4 % cent. gold bonds of the company that the time has come when, in their opinion, the interests of the bondholders should be protected by deposit of their holdings with them, the depositor giving them full power to dispose of the bonds or to deliver them under any plan of reorganization, provided in so doing they obtain for each depositing bondholder par and interest in cash therefor, or, at the option of the bondholder, the right to include his bonds in the plan of reorganization, and to receive in lieu of the cash price above stated the new securities offered, such option to run for at least thirty days after the plan is issued. They state that, in their opinion, a prompt deposit of bonds will conduce to the accomplishment of the foregoing purposes. The coupons due Jan, 1 next may be detached from the bonds before they are deposited.

Washington Seligman, a son of James Seligman, a son of James Seligman, a son of Exceleration.

Washington Seligman, a son of James Seligman and a member of the Stock Exchange since 1884, and William C. Van Antwerp, until recently confidential assistant to President John A. McCall of the New York Life Insurance Company, have formed a copartnership to transact a commission business in securities. The sales of mining stocks at the New York Consolidated Stock and Petroleum Exchange to-day were as follows:

	Open-	High-	Low-	Clos-
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1000 Ansconds	.05	.05	.05	.05
500 Creede & C Cr'k.	.06	.06	.06	.06
400 Beat & Belcher	.40	.40	.40	.40
200 Con Cal & Va	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
500 Ophtr	.60	.60	.60	.60
200 Phoenix	.09	.09	.09	.09
500 Portland	1.40	1.40	1.40	1.40
Total sal	es. 3.4	OO shar	01.	

COMMERCIAL COMPEND.

THURSDAY, Dec. 15.-GRAIN-Wheat-Spot THURSDAY, Dec. 15.—Grain—Wheat—Spot was more active and firmer. Sales of 240,000 Pebruary.

I Northern Duluth, 4c. over May, f. o. b. affoat;
No. 1 hard Duluth, 10c. over May; No. 2 red, in elevator, nominally 75%c. The Northwestern receipts were 407 cars, against 918 last week and 524 last year. Chicago received 172, Bealting sales. and 524 last year. Chicago received 172, against 142 last week and 357 last year. Fuand 524 last week and 357 last year. Futures advanced 15c. to 15c., with sales of the decline was slight. The receipts continued small at Rio and Bantos, the Brazilian cables were firm

Opening. Highest. Lowest. Classing. Night.

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May. 7034 7116 7035 7116 7016

Oats were fairly active on the spot and firm. Sales of 108.000 bush. No. 2 in elevator, 32c.; do. delivered, 33c.; No. 8, 31c.; No. 2 white. 3316c.; track and ungraded white, 34637c. Futures were nominal. Chicago received 327 cars and expects 230 to.

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pean causes caused a decline in coffee to-day. But the decline was slight. The receipts continued small at Rio and Santos, the Brazilian cables were firm and there was no disposition to sell freely. An old and conservative house says with great force: "If it be true that the Rio dealers are quoting prices higher than warranted by sales (we learn they were doing it some time ago, and if they are not reporting the receipts again this year correctly, it will have the effect of giving less importance to Rio as a coffee market than it deserves." A great market, like an individual, high or low, rich or poor, will find sooner or later that deliberate falsehood will be exposed and subject the guilty to the just reprehension of all right-timining men.

NAVAL STORMS—Steady and quiet. Spirits turpentine. 414414c. Common to good strained rosin, \$1.40.

PROVISIONS—Lard was quiet; prime Western.

dine. 4194134c. Common to good strained rosin. 31.40.

PROVISIONS—Lard was quiet; prime Western. 55.2714; city. \$5; Continental refined, \$5,50. Prok \$35.2714; city. \$5; Continental refined, \$5,50. Prok was steady at \$8.75289.25 for mess. Meats were quiet; pickled hams, 76.75c.; do. shoulders, &c.; do. bellies, \$946054c. Tallow, \$9.16c. Butter—Creamery, Western, extras, 21c.; do. firsts, 112.20c.; State, finest, 199104c.; do., firsts, 17.46185c. Cheese-state, full eream, large, colored or white, fancy, 104(2104c.; do. choire, page toc.; do. small, saverage best, 26(21.6.; Western, fresh gathered, irrsts, 252-26c. Chicago, Dec. 15.—"Rather free selling by some of the packers and local longs made a lower market in provisions early. There was a fare was firm at above yesterday; alse prices. The continued very large hog movement affected the market early, but there was a large investment demand, one firm taking over 2.500,000 oribs."

Chicago, Dec. 15.—These were to-day's prices:

\*\*Wheat: Opening, Highest.\*\* Loveet, Closing, Night.\*\*

88% 85% 85% 26% 26% 26% 26% 26% 26% 5.3736 5.3736 5.3236 5.3736 5.3736 5.3736 5.3736 5.3236 5.3736 5.3736 4.62% 4.67% 4.62% 4.67% 4.65 4.82% 4.85 4.80 4.85 4.82% Live Stock Market.

New York, Thursday, Dec. 15.—Receipts of beeves were 965 head, mainly for exporters and slaughterers. About 6.cs of rough stuff were in the yards and 3 cars were sold at Wednesday's closing prices, or at \$2.50.85 \$\overline{B}\$ 100 Bs. for inferior bulls and \$1.50.85.75 for poor to medium cows. Dressed beef was in fairly good demand at 750.5 \$\overline{B}\$ for native sides. Exports today, 202 beeves and 40 sheep; to morrow, none.

native sides. Exports to-day, 202 beeves and 40 sheep; to-morrow, none.

Receipts of calves were 368 head, including 71 direct. Market firm for prime stock and steady for the under grades. About all soid at \$3.75687.50 ¥ 100 Be. for poorest to best veals, at \$368.50.50 for barnyard and fed calves, and at \$3 fora car of Southern calves. (Lity dressed veals, 4811c. ¥ B.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were 6,108 head, including 15 cars direct to butchers. The total offerings were 17½ cars. Frime lambs were a shade higher; sheep of all grades and common and medium lambs steady. Three cars of stock were held over. Decent to prime sheep soid at \$8.5084.50 ¥ 100 Bs.; medium to prime lambs at \$5.102 \$8.66. Dressed mutton, 588c. ¥ B.; derssed lambs. 75@wc.

Receipts of hogs were 6,131 head, including about 2 cars for the market. Quoted firmer at \$3.55@ \$8.75 ¥ 100 Bs. for fair to choice hogs.

Treasurer of Workmen's Benefit Fund Ar-

Adolph Fisher of 196 Seventh street was ar-

raigned before Magistrate Olmsted in the Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday charged with having appropriated for his own use \$5.29 belonging to the First New York Branch of the Workman's Bick, Death and Benefit Fund, of which institution he has been the Treasurer. President John Elich, who appeared as complainant, said that Fisher should have turned over the money to the Executive Board on July 11, but had falled to do so. The prisoner was held in \$1,000 ball for trial.

Forgery Imputed to Ira S. Eikins. Lawyer J. D. Hallen, who is on trial in the General Sessions for the forgery of a bond and Minaucial.

28 Wall Street, New York, December 14, 1898, To the Holders of the First Mortgage Four Per Cent. Gold Bonds

OF THE PITTSBURGH & WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY

(DATED JULY 1, 1887):
In view of the probable reorg initation of the Pitts-burgh and Western Bailway Company, the time has come when, in our opinion, the interests of the First Mortgage Bondholders should be protected by a deposit of their bonds with us; the depositor, by such deposit, giving us full power to dispose of the bonds or to deliver them under any plan of reorganization, provided that in so doing we obtain for each bondholder who deposits his bonds with us par and interest in cash therefor, or, at his option, the right to include his bonds in such plan of reorganization, and to receive in lieu of the cash price above stated the new securities offered under the plan, such option to run for at least thirty days after the plan is issued.

Bondholders are, therefore, invited to deposit their bonds with us at once for the purpose and with the powers above indicated, receiving suitable cer-tificates of deposit.

We cannot undertake to act for any bonds not de-

posited with us, and we reserve the right to decline at any time to receive further deposits.

In our opinion a prompt deposit of bonds will conduce to the accomplishment of the foregoing pur-

The coupons due January 1, 1809, may be deached from the bonds before they are deposited with us.

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Dividends and Interest,

RAILROAD COMPANY.

A dividend of TWO PER CENT, has been declared on the first preferred stock of the St. Louis and San Francisco Bailroad Company to stockholders of record at the close of business on December 22, 189s. The first preferred stock transfer books will close at Sp. M. on December 22, 189s, and will reopen at 10 A. M. on January 6, 1899.

Dated New York, December 10, 1898.

FHEDERICK STRAUSS,

Assistant Secretary.

The above dividend of TWO PER CENT, will be payable on January 8, 1899, to holders of the Voting Trustees' certificates for first preferred stock of the 8t. Louis and 8sis. Francisco Railroad Company, of record on the books of the Voting Trustees, at the close of business on December 22, 1898, The transfer books of the Voting Trustees' ceitificates for first preferred stock will close at 8 P. M. on December 22, 1898, and will reopen at 10 A. M. on January 6, 1899.

Checks will be mailed.

Dated New York, December 10, 1898.

J. KENNEDY TOD & COMPANY, Agents.

WYESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Dated New York, December 10, 1898,
J. KENNEDY TOD & COMPANY, Agents,
WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
New York, December 14, 1898,
DIVIDEND NO. 131.
The Board of Directors have declared a quarterly
dividend of ONE AND ONE-QUARTER PER CENT,
mon the capital stock of this contrary, payable at
the office of the Treasurer on and after the 16th day
of January next to shareholders of record at the
close of the transfer books on the 20th day of December inst.
The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock on
the afternoon of December 20th inst., and reopened
on the morning of January 3d next.
Treasurer.

REAL ESTATE TRUST COMPANY OF N. Y.,
30 Nassau Street.
December 15, 1898,
The Foard of Trustees have this day declared a
semi-snnual dividend of FOUR PER CENT., payable
January 3, 1899, to stockholders of record December 19, 1898, Transfer books close December 19,
1898, at 3 o'clock P.M., and reopen January 3, 1899,
at 10 o'clock A.M.
MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY,

MANHATTAN RAILWAY COMPANY,
NO. 146 BROADWAY.
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NEW YORK, Dec. 18th, 1598.

FIFTY-NINTH QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.
A quarterly dividend of one per cant. on the capital stock of this Company has been declared payable at this office on and after Tuesday, January 8, 1849.
The transfer books will be closed on Friday, December 16th, at 0 o'clock P. M., and will be reopened on Wednesday, Jan. 4th, at 10 o'clock A. M.
D. W. McWilliams, Treasurer.

D. W. McWILLIAMS, Treasurer,

AMERICAN MALTING COMPANY,

80 Broadway, N. Y., Dec. 15, 1898,
DIVIDEND NO. 5.

A quarterly dividend of One AND THREE-QUARTERS PER CENT, on the preferred stock of this
Company has this day been declared, payanle Jan.
16, 1899, to stockbolders of record at the close of
business Jan. 5, 1999. The transfer books will close
Jan. 5, 1899, at a P. M., and reopen Jan. 16, 1899, at
ten o'clock A. M.

E. R. CHAPMAN, Treasurer.

## Elections and Meetings.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.

Succial Meeting of Stockholders.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of Union Pacific Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company at Sail Lake City, in the State of Utah, on the 10th day of January, 1809, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering and acting upon a proposed amendment of the Articles of Association of the Company, increasing its Common Capital Stock by the amount of \$27, 460,100, and of authorizing the issue and use of such additional stock, and of taking all suitable action in that behalf.

The books for the transfer of stock (both Common and Preferred) will be closed for the purpose of the meeting at the close of business on Thursday, December 16, 1808, and will be reopened on the day fallowing said meeting or any adjournment thereof. BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

New York, December 2, 1808.

HENDERSON BRIDGE COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Renderson Bridge Countany will be led at the Com-

General Sessions for the forgery of a bond and mortgage, declared yesterday that Ira S. Elkins wrote the forged documents and called a number of lawyers as witnesses, all of whom swore that they were iamilies with Elkins's writing and believe the bond and mortgage with the second bridge company will be held at the Company's office. Louisville, Rentucky, on the 2d of January, leave the second and mortgage writing and believe the bond and mortgage.

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AN ELECTION of twenty Managers of the New A Work Institution for the Bilind and of three Inspector of Election will be held at the Institution Seth and oth av., at 40 clock on the afternoon of WEDNESDAY, Dec. 21, 1868.

F. AUGUSTUS BCHEIMERHORN, Secretary.

REAL ESTATE NEWS. The amount involved in the transfers recorded in Chicago for the month of November was \$7,415,000. It is interesting to note that the amount of the transfers in Manhattan and the Bronx from Nov. 4 to Dec. 1, practically the same period, was \$8,276,167. Philadelphia oc-

euples third place in the list.

It was reported yesterday that the elevenstory mercantile building No. 530 Broadway had been sold. Joseph L. Buttenweiser, the owner of the property, denied the sale and said further that no negotiations were on foot for

its disposal. It was also reported that No. 103 Fifth avenue had been sold. The report was said to be

nue had been sold. The report was said to he false by Gutwillig Brothers, who are interested in the property.

The Evangelical Lutheran Church has secured a site for a new church edifice, having purchased a plot yesterday on the northeast corner of the Boulevard and Ninety-third stract through L. J. Phillips & Co. There has been a great deal of activity in the upper Boulevard section lately, The price paid for the plot, which was 55x100, was about \$54,000.

Private Sales.

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J. Edgar Leaveraft has sold to an investor, for John Fox, the three-story private dwelling, on lot 20x75, No. 75 West Forty-seventh street, and for a client the five-story double flat. 25x85x100, No. 64 West 133d street.

The Stevens Real Estate Company has sold for Ethan Akin the four-story brownstone dwelling, lot 20x100.8, No. 15 West Ninetieth street. Myer Hellman has sold the three-story brownstone dwelling, on lot 15x100, No. 107 East Ninety-first street.

Alfred B. Hilton has sold for George Dern to Cohn & Feinberg the old building, on lot 25x89, No. 298 Monroe street.

Jackson & Stern have sold to Martha Degalman the four-story building No. 2148. Third avenue: they have purchased from J. C. Hoddenhorst No. 119 Christopher street, 25x80.5.

S. Fontel has purchased from a Mrs. Mellich the five-story building, on lot 25x82.8, on the southwest corner of Avenue A and Seventy-seventh street.

C. L. Haskell has exchanged for the owner the private dwelling at No. 120 West 127th street forsix lots on Katonah avenue, between 241st and 242d streets. The dwelling has been again traded for the five-story double flat No. 3 East 132d street.

Real Estate Auction Sales.

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At the New York Real Estate Salestoom year terday only one of the three offerings scheduled was sold. Bryan L. Kefinelly sold, in foreclos-ure, the leasehold consisting of a two-stor-brick building, 25x100.11, No. 326 East 122d street, to the plaintiff. George Althaus, for \$2,700. The sale of the other two offerings was adjourned.

New Buildings.

Plans were filed with the Department of Buildings yesterday for the following.

By Joseph Spota, owner, for a six-story flatat north side of 114th street, 150 feet east of Amsterdam avenue; architects, Neville & Bagge; cost, \$75,000.

By Emily Felt, owner, for a seven-story flat at 114th street and 8t. Nicholas avenue, southeast corner; architects, Neville & Bagge; cost. \$250,000.

By Patrick Prendegast, owner, for a six-story.

\$200,000. By Patrick Prendegast, owner, for a six-story flat at north side of Eighty-flith street, 175 feet east of Boulevard; architect, George F. Pel-ham; cost \$35,000.

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